

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
AT SEATTLE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, ) CASE NO. 06-036M  
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Plaintiff, )  
)  
v. )  
) DETENTION ORDER  
SAUL BASURTO-VALDEZ, )  
)  
Defendant. )  
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Offense charged:

Possession of Heroin with Intent to Distribute;

Date of Detention Hearing: Initial Appearance January 27, 2006

The Court, having conducted a detention hearing pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3142(f), and based upon the factual findings and statement of reasons for detention hereafter set forth, finds that no condition or combination of conditions which defendant can meet will reasonably assure the appearance of defendant as required and the safety of other persons and the community.

FINDINGS OF FACT AND STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR DETENTION

(1) Defendant is charged with possessing more than one kilogram of a mixture or

01 substance containing a detectable amount of heroin with the intent to distribute.

02 (2) Defendant is believed to have been born in Mexico and in this country without  
03 permission. There is little additional information available about his personal history, residence,  
04 family ties, ties to this District, income, financial assets or liabilities, physical/mental health or  
05 controlled substance use if any.

06 (3) An immigration detainer has been placed by BICE. Based on this, the defendant  
07 does not contest detention.

08 (4) The defendant poses a risk of nonappearance due to his status as a native and  
09 citizen of Mexico in this country illegally, the BICE detainer and unknown background  
10 information. He poses a risk of danger due to the nature of the instant offense.

11 (5) There does not appear to be any condition or combination of conditions that will  
12 reasonably assure the defendant's appearance at future Court hearings while addressing the danger  
13 to other persons or the community.

14 It is therefore ORDERED:

15 (1) Defendant shall be detained pending trial and committed to the custody of the  
16 Attorney General for confinement in a correction facility separate, to the extent  
17 practicable, from persons awaiting or serving sentences or being held in custody  
18 pending appeal;

19 (2) Defendant shall be afforded reasonable opportunity for private consultation with  
20 counsel;

21 (3) On order of a court of the United States or on request of an attorney for the  
22 Government, the person in charge of the corrections facility in which defendant is

01 confined shall deliver the defendant to a United States Marshal for the purpose of  
02 an appearance in connection with a court proceeding; and

- 03 (4) The clerk shall direct copies of this Order to counsel for the United States, to  
04 counsel for the defendant, to the United States Marshal, and to the United States  
05 Pretrial Services Officer.

06 DATED this 27th day of January, 2006.

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09 United States Magistrate Judge  
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